### **MD 32 Linden Church Interchange**

## **Project Construction Update**

# **July 2013**



This July 18, 2013 photo shows the completed bridge deck (driving surface) with dividing concrete median on the new Linden Church Road bridge over MD 32.

- Please watch for new traffic patterns.
- Observe new signs and flaggers during lane closures.
- Please drive carefully through the work zone and beyond.
- Watch for construction equipment and working crews.
- Please note: Bicycles are prohibited on MD 32 between Burntwoods Road and MD 108 for the duration of the project. Bicyclists should follow the posted detour route.



This July 18, 2013 photo shows the section of Ten Oaks Road where crews have modified the road for improved sight distance. The road is scheduled to be paved the week of July 22 and to reopen by Aug. 2.

#### **Current Progress:**

- 1. On June 17, crews closed the section of Ten Oaks Road just south of West Linden Church Road and implemented a temporary detour. During this closure, crews have been installing storm drain pipe and changing the grade (slope) of Ten Oaks Road to improve sight distance (pictured at lower left).
- 2. On the east side of MD 32, crews have removed the asphalt from the closed section of Greenberry Lane and have begun excavating and placing fill for the new northbound MD 32 on and off ramps.
- 3. Crews are preparing to place base asphalt for the new on-ramp to southbound MD 32.
- 4. Crews have constructed the deck (driving surface) of the new Linden Church Road bridge over MD 32 (pictured at upper left).

### **Upcoming Work:**

- 1. Crews will pave the improved Ten Oaks Road and install new guardrail. Ten Oaks Road will reopen by Friday, August 2, weather permitting.
- 2. Crews will continue work on the new MD 32 interchange ramps, including excavating, grading and placing the roadway base.
- 3. On the new Linden Church Road bridge over MD 32, crews will paint the new steel girders and groove the skid-resistant driving surface.

Project completion is anticipated in late fall 2013, weather permitting.

On behalf of Maryland State Highway Administration, I would like to request your cooperation and patience. Please drive with caution through our work zones.

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